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THE STATE OF ALABAMA, BALDWIN COUNTY
CIRCUIT COURT, IN EQUITY

LEATHA ERMINE ALLEN

, Complainant

vs.

LONNIE ALLEN

, Respondent

This cause coming on to be heard was submitted upon Bill of Complaint, ~~Decree Pro Confesso~~ on Answer and Waiver and Testimony as noted by the Register, and upon consideration thereof, the Court is of the opinion that the Complainant is entitled to the relief prayed for in said bill.

It is therefore ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Court that the bonds of matrimony heretofore existing between the Complainant and Defendant be, and the same are hereby, dissolved, and that the said

LEATHA ERMINE ALLEN is forever divorced from the said LONNIE ALLEN for and on account of

Cruelty.

It is further ordered, adjudged and decreed that the said Complainant, Leatha Ermine Allen, shall have the care, custody and control of the two minor children: Jerry Allen and Paul Allen.

It is further ordered, adjudged and decreed that the said Respondent, Lonnie Allen, shall pay to the said Complainant the sum of \$20.00 per week as maintenance and support for said minor children, Jerry Allen and Paul Allen.

It is further ordered, adjudged and decreed that the Respondent shall have reasonable rights of visitation of said minor children during their dependence.

It is further ordered, adjudged and decreed that neither party to this suit shall again marry except to each other until sixty days after the rendition of this decree, and that if appeal is taken within sixty days, neither party shall again marry except to each other during the pendency of said appeal.

It is further ordered that the Complainant and Respondent be, and they are hereby permitted to again contract marriage upon the payment of the cost of this suit.

It is further ordered that Lonnie Allen the Respondent pay the cost herein to be taxed, for which execution may issue.

This 2nd day of September, 1954.

Hubert M. Hae

Judge Circuit Court, In Equity.

I, _____, Register of the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct copy of the original decree rendered by the Judge of the Circuit Court in the above stated cause, which said decree is on file and enrolled in my office.

Witness my hand and seal this the _____ day of _____, 19____

Register of Circuit Court, In Equity.

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA

Baldwin County

IN EQUITY

Circuit Court of Baldwin County

LEATHA ERMINE ALLEN

vs.

LENNIE ALLEN

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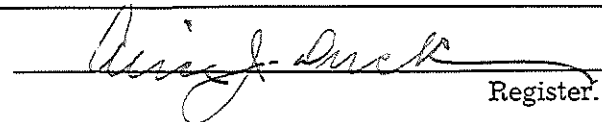
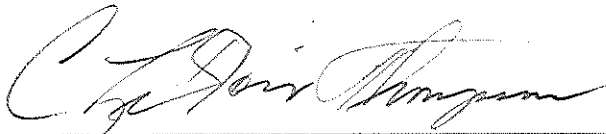
IN EQUITY

Circuit Court of Baldwin County

This cause is submitted in behalf of Complaint upon the original Bill of Complaint,

Testimony of witnesses, Leatha Ermine Allen and Mrs. Susie Mae Chafin

and in behalf of Defendant upon Answer & Waiver


Register.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
Baldwin County

Circuit Court

TO: Lyrleene Nixon

KNOW YE: That we, having full faith in your prudence and competency, have appointed you Commissioner, and by these presents do authorize you, at such time and place as you may appoint, to call before you and examine Leatha Ermine Allen and Mrs. Susie Mae Chafin

as witnesses in behalf of Leatha Ermine Allen in a cause pending in our Circuit Court in Baldwin County, of said State, wherein

Leatha Ermine Allen

Complainant

and

Lonnie Allen

Respondent

on oath, to be by you administered, upon

to take and certify the depositions of the witnesses and return the same to our Court, with all convenient speed, under your hand.

Witness 2nd day of Sept, 1945

Alice J. Henshaw
Register.

Commissioner's Fee, \$

Witness' Fees, \$

The State of Alabama,
Baldwin County.

Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama
(In Equity)

LEATHA ERMINE ALLEN

Complainant

VS.

LONNIE ALLEN

Respondent

I, Lyrleene Nixon

as ~~Register~~ and Commissioner

have called and caused to come before me Leatha Ermine Allen and Mrs. Susie Mae Chafin

witness^{es} named in the Requirement for Oral Examination, on the 2nd day of September

19 54, at the office of C. LeNoir Thomson

in Bay Minette, Alabama, and having first sworn said Witness^{es} to speak the

truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth, the said Leatha Ermine Allen and Mrs.

Susie Mae Chafin

doth depose and say as follows:

That my name is Leatha Ermine Allen, I am over the age of 21 years and a resident of Baldwin County, Alabama, and have been all of my life. The Respondent is over the age of 21 years and is presently residing at 206 Meeks Court, Findley, Ohio. We were married in Bay Minette, Alabama on September 13, 1933 and lived together as husband and wife until on or about August 1, 1953, that on or about 1st of August, 1953, the Respondent assaulted and beat me striking me about the head and body, allof which occurred without any fault on my part and because of his threats and having beat me I became in fear of my life and health and afraid to live with him any more as his wife. There was born as fruits of this marriage between the Complainant and the Respondent two children, Jerry Allen age about 13 years and Paul Allen, age 11 years. I respectfully represent unto this Honorable Court that I have had the care, custody and control of these children since birth and that I am a fit, suitable and proper person to have the permanent care, custody and control of these children, and I respectfully ask that I be granted the care, custody and control of these children. The respondent is a person of considerable means making a good income and well able to maintain and support said children in my care, custody and control. I respect fully represent that while \$30.00 a week is a reasonable sum that I have by way of comprom se agreed with the Respondent to accept \$20.00 a week as maintenance and support for said children only under present conditions. I respectfully ask that I be granted a divorce with maintenance presently in the amount of \$20.00 per week for said children, I ask nothing for myself.

Leatha Ermine Allen

That my name is Susie Mae Chafin, I know both parties to this cause they are both over the age of 21 years and the Complainant is a resident of Baldwin County, Alabama, and has been more than two years next preceding year. The parties to this cause were married about September 13, 1933, and lived together as husband and wife in Alabama, but was separated on or about August 1, 1953, the cause of the separation was the treatment by the Respondent of the Complainant, which being so cruel it placed her in fear of her life and health so she was afraid to live with him as his wife any longer. There were born as fruits of this marriage two children, Jerry Allen, age about 13 years and Paul Allen, age about 11 years, these children have been in the care, custody and control of the Complainant, their mother, since birth, and I respectfully represent unto this Honorable Court that the said Complainant is a fit, suitable and proper person to have the care, custody and control of these children.

Mrs. Susie Mae Chafin

ORAL EXAMINATION

I, Lyrleene Nixon, as ~~Register~~ and ~~Commissioner~~ hereby certify that the foregoing deposition S on Oral Examination was taken down by me in writing in the words of the witness es and read over to them and they signed the same in the presence of myself and C. LeNoir Thompson

at the time and place herein mentioned; that I have personal knowledge of personal identity of said witness es or had proom made before me of the identity of said witness es; that I am not of counsel or of kin to any of the parties to said cause, or any manner interested in the result thereof.

I enclose the said Oral Examination in an envelope to the Register of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal, this 2nd day of September, 1951

Lyrleene Nixon (L. S.)

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STATE OF ALABAMA
BALDWIN COUNTY

TO ANY SHERIFF OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA:

You are hereby commanded to summon LONNIE ALLEN to appear and plead, answer or demur within thirty days from the service hereof to the bill of complaint filed in the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama, in equity, by LEATHA ERMINE ALLEN, as Complainant and against LONNIE ALLEN, Respondent.

WITNESS my hand this _____ day of September, 1954.

Register.

LEATHA ERMINE ALLEN

COMPLAINANT

VS

LONNIE ALLEN

RESPONDENT

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA
IN EQUITY.

TO THE HONORABLE HUBERT M. HALL, JUDGE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF BALDWIN COUNTY,
ALABAMA, IN EQUITY SITTING:

Your Complainant, Leatha Ermine Allen, respectfully represents and shows unto your Honor and this Honorable Court as follows:

1.

That your Complainant and the Respondent are both over the age of 21 years, that your Complainant is a bona fide resident of Baldwin County, Alabama, and the Respondent is presently residing 206 Weeks Court, Findley, Chic.

2.

That your Complainant and the Respondent married in Bay Minette, Alabama, on September 13, 1933, and lived together as husband and wife until the 1st day of August, 1953.

3.

That your Complainant avers and alleges that since their marriage that said Respondent has been guilty of adultery with divers parties and persons whose names to your Complainant are unknown, which actions of the Respondent have not been condoned by your Complainant.

4.

Complainant avers that said Respondent voluntarily abandoned the bed and board of Complainant for more than one year next preceding the filing of this bill of complaint, since which time Complainant and Respondent have

not lived together nor in any way recognized each other as husband and wife.

5.

Your Complainant avers and charges that the said Respondent did on or about the 1st day of August, 1953, and many times subsequent prior thereto assault, beat, hit and strike complainant; that said Respondent has committed actual violence on her person attended with danger to her health or life; Complainant avers and charges that Respondent has made numerous threats of doing her physical harm and from his manner and conduct toward her, she is reasonably convinced that he will commit an actual violence upon her person, attended with danger to her life or health.

6.

There was born as fruits of this marriage between the Complainant and the Respondent two children; Jerry Allen, age thirteen, Paul Allen, age eleven. That the mother of said children is a suitable, fit and proper person to have the care, custody and control.

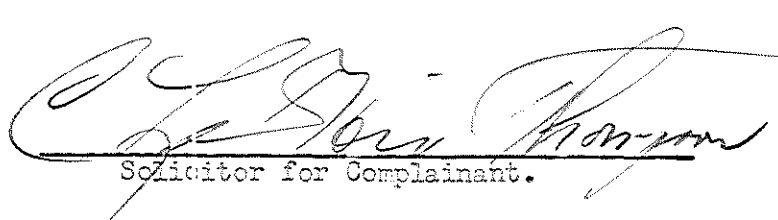
WHEREFORE, the premises considered, your Complainant prays that your Honor will by proper procedure make the said LONNIE ALLEN, Respondent to this bill of complaint requiring him to plead, answer or demur to the same within the time and under the penalties prescribed by law and the practice of this Honorable Court.

That your Complainant be awarded the care, custody and control of the minor children, Jerry Allen, age thirteen, Paul Allen, age eleven; that your Honor will grant to the Complainant permanent maintenance for said children in the amount of Thirty (\$30.00) Dollars per week and inasmuch as your Complainant is without funds it is suggested that One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars be allowed as a reasonable Solicitor's fee to your Complainant's Solicitor for his services herein, and that upon a final hearing of this cause, that your Honor will render a decree granting to your Complainant permanent alimony for the support and maintenance of said minor children, and your Complainant prays for such other, further or general relief to which she may be entitled, and your Complainant prays, etc.

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Solicitor for Complainant.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA
IN EQUITY

LEATHA ERMINE ALLEN,
COMPLAINANT,
VS
LONNIE ALLEN,
RESPONDENT.

Bill of Complaint

C. LeNoir Thompson
Attorney At Law
Bay Minette, Alabama

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LEATHA ERMINE ALLEN,

COMPLAINANT,

VS

LONNIE ALLEN,

RESPONDENT.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA
IN EQUITY.

Now comes the Respondent and accepts service of the summons and complaint in this cause.

The Respondent admits the allegations as to ages and marriage, residence, and agreement entered into between the parties to support the minor children during their years of dependency, but denies all other allegations contained in the bill of complaint, and demands strict proof of the same.

The Respondent waives notice of the time of taking of testimony on behalf of the Complainant; the right to cross-examine Complainant's witnesses; and agrees that this cause be submitted for final decree without notice.

Lonnie Allen

STATE OF OHIOHANCOCK COUNTY

I, DWIGHT E. MURRAY, a Notary Public, in and for said County, in said State, hereby certify that Lonnie Allen, whose name is signed to the foregoing conveyance, and who is known to me, acknowledged before me on this day that, being informed of the contents of the conveyance, he executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand and seal on this the 27th day of August, 1954.

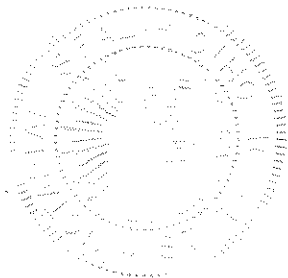
Dwight E. Murray
Notary Public,

DWIGHT E. MURRAY
NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF OHIO
My Commission Expires Sept. 18, 1956

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LEATHA ERMINE ALLEN

COMPLAINANT

VS

LONNIE ALLEN

RESPONDENT

ANSWER AND WAIVER

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ALICE J. DUCK, Register

From the law offices of
C. LeNoir Thompson
Bay Minette, Alabama

We, the undersigned parties to the cause of LEATHA ERMINE ALLEN vs LONNIE ALLEN, realizing that we can never live together again as husband and wife, and are now in the process of obtaining a divorce, have entered into the following agreement concerning Jerry Allen and Paul Allen, fruits of their marriage:

That the said Leatha Ermine Allen is considered by both parties to be a fit, suitable and proper person to have the care, custody and control of the said children, ages thirteen and eleven. That the said Lonnie Allen, shall have the full rights of visitation with the said child, at reasonable and convenient times. That the said Leatha Ermine Allen, does not ask for alimony for herself. That the said Lonnie Allen agrees that he shall provide a reasonable sum for the support and maintenance of the said children, Jerry Allen and Paul Allen, which sum is presently agreed to be Twenty and no/100 Dollars (\$20.00) per week, under existing conditions.

In Witness Whereof, we have hereunto set our hands and seals, this 10th day of August, 1954.

Lonnie Allen (L.S.)

Leatha Ermine Allen (L.S.)

STATE OF OHIO

ss:

COUNTY OF HANCOCK

Before me the undersigned authority personally appeared Lonnie Allen, who is known to me, and who being informed of the contents of the foregoing agreement, voluntarily executed same, the day same bears date.

Dwight C. Murray
Notary Public

STATE OF ALABAMA

ss:

BALDWIN COUNTY

Before me the undersigned authority personally appeared Leatha Ermine Allen, who is known to me, and who being informed of the contents of the foregoing agreement, voluntarily executed same, the day same bears date.

DWIGHT C. MURRAY
NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF OHIO
My Commission Expires Sept. 18, 1956

[Signature]
Notary Public

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John D. B. Watson

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- WEAK NUCLEAR FORCE:** A diagram showing two particles, labeled e^- (electron) and ν_e (electron neutrino), with arrows pointing towards each other, representing the interaction between them.

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WILLIAM LINDSEY BRIDGES TO CAROL ANN OF A LETTER DATED FEBRUARY 27, 1968, AS THE INFORMATION CONTAINED THEREIN IS NOT KNOWN TO THE OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, WILLIAM LINDSEY BRIDGES.

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THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO

STATE OF ALABAMA
BALDWIN COUNTY

BE IT HEREBY AND HEREINAFTER, agreed between the parties to this instrument that on September 2, 1954, the said LEATHA ERMINE ALLEN obtained a divorce from LONNIE ALLEN in which decree the custody of the following named children was granted to the said LEATHA ERMINE ALLEN:

Jerry Allen and Paul Allen.

And by these presents the said Leatha Ermine Allen does release from the decree of the court the responsibility set out in said decree for the payment of support and maintenance of the several children.

The said Leatha Ermine Allen does not by this instrument waive her right to custody but does expressly waive further support for the two children and shall hereafter claim them as her dependents.

To all of which the said Lonnie Allen, respondent in the above cause does agree and ratify.

Leatha Ermine Allen
Leatha Ermine Allen.

Lonnie Allen
Lonnie Allen.

Before me the undersigned authority personally appeared Leatha Ermine Allen and Lonnie Allen, who are known to me and who being informed of the contents of the foregoing agreement voluntarily executed same on this the 16 day of February, 1957.



C. B. Thompson
Notary Public, Baldwin County, Alabama.

